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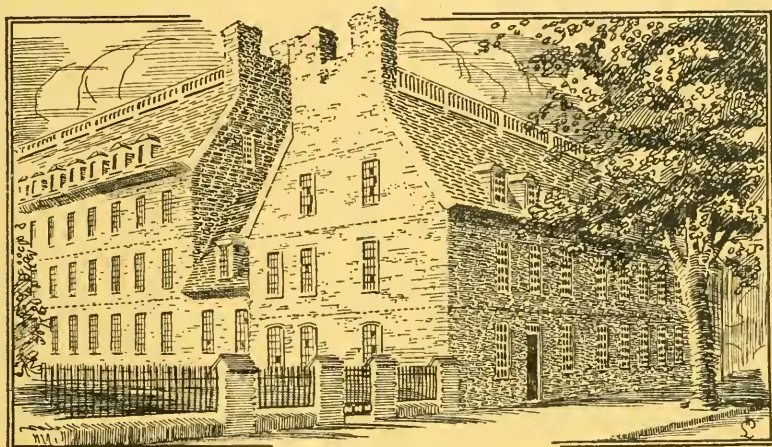
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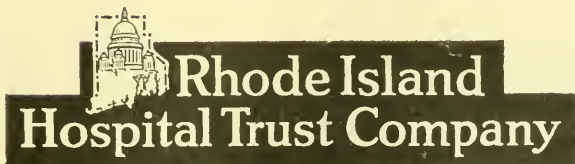
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# GENERAL ELECTRIC



## On The Hill

### *Brown's 163d Year*

BROWN'S 163d academic year began on Wednesday, September 22d, with an enrollment considerably less in numbers than that of a year ago. There is a Freshman loss of 41 as compared with last autumn, two main causes being cited—stricter academic entrance requirements and higher tuition rates. The tuition rates were raised a year since, but the effect is believed to be more noticeable this year because of a recession in various lines of business.

At the opening chapel service President Faunce declared that the University is determined to keep the student body at its present size if possible, unless or until there are increased material facilities and a larger teaching force. It is interesting to know that the Faculty this year consists of 145 members against 132 last year. As the student body is smaller than that of last fall, the larger Faculty is a distinct gain in the direction of effective teaching.

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### *Dormitory Accommodations*

WITH the opening of the present college year, Brown has abundant dormitory accommodations for all applicants. Littlefield Hall, which was put into use a year ago, is full, but Hegeman Hall, now occupied for the first time, contains many rooms which are as yet untenanted. It is more than half full, however, and is expected to be completely occupied by another year. It has several three-room suites, among other accommodations, that are more attractive than anything

else of the sort on the campus.

Following are the present dormitories and the approximate number of students they can care for. (They are all entirely occupied except Hegeman):

Hope College 96, University Hall (three floors) 50, 36 Prospect street (formerly the Dr. Ely house) 35, Maxcy (1½ floors) 36, Caswell 95, Brunonia 45, Littlefield 78, Hegeman 86.

This makes a total of 521 students that can be accommodated on the campus, with an actual total now living there of about 480. The University has no arrangement this year by which it leases rooms in private houses, although many students live in such quarters at varying distances from the campus. In addition nearly all of the 19 fraternities have their separate chapter houses in which a large aggregate body of students is quartered.

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### *Recent Improvements*

AT last the front and middle campuses, so long compelled to remain in a rough unploughed condition, have been levelled off and seeded, and a prosperous crop of grass is growing upon them. The same is true of Lincoln Field, which is no longer a parking ground for automobiles or the scene of board-track activities. Where the board track formerly lay there is now a promising lawn, and for the first time the possibilities of this portion of the campus in the way of beautification are apparent. Some day two new buildings, will be erected on the north side of Lincoln Field—one an addition to the Metcalf Chemical Laboratory and another between

that addition and the Colgate Hoyt Swimming Pool. This will give us a reasonably straight line for the Lincoln Quadrangle of the future. On the south, Mr. Paul Cret of Philadelphia, our consulting architect, has attempted to "tie" the existing buildings by the one-and-one-half-story wing of Hegeman Hall. This is physically united by an archway to Caswell Hall and fits in rather nicely with the Engineering Building and Maxcy Hall further west, if anything can be said to fit in with such dissimilar types of architecture. Personally we feel that Lincoln Quadrangle will never be satisfactory until the frank "factory construction" of the Engineering Buildings is eliminated or radically modified.

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#### *Other Changes*

NEW walks have been laid on the middle campus and Lincoln Field. They are of asphalt-penetrated macadam and it is expected that similar walks will be laid on the front campus next year. During the last year or two some fifteen young elms have been planted, the definite decision being arrived at to keep the elm as the distinctive Brown shade tree. The ploughing

up of the campus two or three years ago has improved conditions for the old trees, but it will always be a fight to keep city shade trees healthy under modern conditions, including the mephitic discharge of carbon monoxide gas from numberless automobiles.

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#### *The New Art Centre*

A MODEST venture has been inaugurated this fall at Brown in the shape of an art centre, where Professor Will S. Taylor, the new head of the Department of Art, will teach the history and practice of art and at the same time continue his work on the mural paintings he is producing for the American Museum of Natural History in New York.

Professor Taylor on coming to Providence desired a Colonial house to live in and indicated the old two-story dwelling at 125 George street, opposite St. Stephen's Church, as one that took his eye. Accordingly it was secured for him, and in the rear of the lots upon which it and the adjacent dwelling stand has been built a one-story studio and class room of ample dimensions. From this modest but promising beginning we shall hope to see a fine new interest in artistic concerns develop.

## The Letter Box

### WE HEARTILY AGREE

*Editor Brown Alumni Monthly:*

I feel that a publication for the alumni, besides being a chronicle and a herald, serves to bring the spirit of the college and some vital ideas of the college into the hearts of her former students. Every number of the publication should bring something of idealism or something that challenges to thought. For that reason I like the idea of brief messages to the alumni from President Faunce, from Dean

Randall or from brainy sons of Brown like Alexander Meiklejohn and others. And it is a fine thing to get excerpts from some of the stimulating things that are said on the campus, by special lectures or by our professors or by students. Being an alumnus should mean lifelong contact with an institution that radiates the finest things of life.

Yours cordially,

*Guy B. Colburn*

State College, Fresno, Calif.,

August 29, 1926.



## New Members of the Faculty

AT THE opening of the academic year, the following Faculty changes were announced:

Matthew C. Mitchell, head assistant in government at Harvard the past two years; Leland M. Goodrich, who was at Brown in 1922-23, but at Lafayette College last year, and H. A. Phelps are appointed to the department of social and political science, all with the rank of assistant professor. Assistant Professor John C. Dunning has resigned from this department, while Harold S. Bucklin is promoted to associate professor.

New assistant professors in the department of mathematics are Rudolph E. Langer, Harvard graduate, who has been on the Dartmouth faculty since 1924, and Mark Hoyt Ingraham, for two years past at the University of Wisconsin. They will fill the places of W. R. Burwell and M. Morse, resigned.

Frederick G. Keyes will be consulting professor in physics, coming from M. I. T., where he was director of the research laboratory. H. E. Farnsworth, associate professor at the University of Maine the past two years, will take up his duties in the same department. Professor Carl Barus, active in the University since 1895, has retired from teaching, also relinquishing his post as dean of the graduate department.

Other new assistant professors at Brown are: Norris W. Rakestraw, head of the chemistry department at Oberlin last year, in chemistry; Louis Landre, a French veteran of the World War, who won the Croix de Guerre, from Northwestern, in Romance Languages; Leigh Hoadley, from the University of Chicago, in biology; Paul N. Kistler, from Lehigh, in engineering; Ford Hinrichs, engaged in statistical and economic work the past two years, in economics; Alan R. Thompson, graduate student at Harvard last year, in English, and

Curt John Ducasse, at the University of Washington since 1912, in philosophy. Will S. Taylor, from Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, will be professor of art and curator of the art collection.

Resignations include the following: Associate Professor R. E. Badger, economics; Assistant Professor Sharon O. Brown, English, who has gone into newspaper work in Providence; Thomas B. Appleget, executive secretary. Professor Keyes will take over the graduate department, succeeding Professor Barus, and Kenneth O. Mason has been appointed to the post of Dean of Freshmen in place of Dean W. R. Burwell, resigned.

Five professors have been granted sabbatic leave in the first semester this year. They are William T. Hastings, English; John F. Greene, Greek and Latin classics; Verner Crane, history; R. E. Gilman, mathematics; E. R. Massey, Romance languages. Professor R. C. Archibald has been granted leave of absence in the second semester.

Herbert Friedman comes to Brown as instructor in biology to succeed Roy A. Waggener, who has gone to Cornell to study for his doctor's degree, and William E. Cheever will become assistant in civil engineering.

Mr. Friedman is a graduate of the College of the City of New York. He took his Ph. D. at Cornell and was for three years a holder of the National Research Fellowship to continue investigations of parasitic birds in Texas, Argentina, South Africa and East Africa. Mr. Cheever, a graduate of Brown in the class of 1904, takes the place of the late Charles F. Chase, a former member of the class of 1879.

Dr. Philip H. Mitchell, associate professor of physiology, has been advanced to the rank of full professor. He was graduated at Yale in 1904, received his Ph.D.

there in 1907 and came to Brown as instructor in that year. While at Brown he has written a text book on physiology, has contributed papers to technical magazines and has participated in important scientific investigations. One of the most noteworthy of these was carried on by him in 1923 and 1924 for the State of Connecticut, the subject being the causes of the

decline of the shad industry of the Connecticut river. Professor Mitchell has also served as director of the biological laboratory at Woods Hole. He spent the past summer at Woods Hole in a private laboratory doing research work on the subject of insulin, which at the present time is seriously occupying a number of scientists in this country and Canada.

## The New Athletic System

*By Joe Nutter '24*

**B**ROWN UNIVERSITY has a new athletic system. An Athletic Council consisting of nine representatives from the Corporation, Faculty and alumni and the president of the University or his representative and the University treasurer has been organized and has already taken over the work of the athletic organization on the Hill. Announcement of the organization was recently made public by Norman S. Taber, Brown 1913, chairman of the council.

The council was organized some months ago, and has held two meetings, one for assembling and organizing the council and one for the planning of the football season. Dr. Frederick W. Marvel, director of intercollegiate athletics and Professor of Physical Education, has been assigned to continue as the director of the Physical Education Department, which will henceforth carry both the Departments of Intercollegiate Athletics and of Physical Education.

A new organization of the Brown athletic system was made necessary by the increased equipment, the new plant, and the need for representation of all the governing branches of the college, and recommendations were made for appointing a committee from the Corporation to make a study of the situation and the solution of the problems involved. The committee reported the need for a reorganization

along the lines that have been followed.

The present council consists of Dr. A. D. Mead, vice president of the University, as the representative of Dr. W. H. P. Faunce, president of the University; Frank W. Matteson, treasurer of the University; Charles P. Sisson, Norman S. Taber and Paul C. DeWolf as members of the University Corporation; James P. Adams, K. O. Mason, P. H. Mitchell and L. T. Bohl, Faculty representatives. The Corporation members will serve three years each on the council, the Faculty members four years each, and the alumni representatives two years each; the members of each group being selected in successive years to provide for the change of only one member of each group in any one year.

The policy of athletics for every man, which has been the goal of the Brown authorities for some years, will be rigidly followed, and it is expected that with the increased equipment this goal will be reached in a very few years. 'Varsity athletics will be held open as the advanced branch of athletics and will be open to all men who can make those teams, with the Second and Freshmen teams following the same general outline of work as the 'Varsity. The Intramural Department will be reorganized, and more emphasis placed on class, dormitory and fraternity teams, so that through some medium of the complete network that will extend to every branch

of sport, every man in college will be a participant. New sports will be added to the list in the several branches of athletics as the increased facilities and equipment justify, but the present slogan is one of expansion not so much in intercollegiate athletics as in the intramural organization. The work has been greatly increased in recent years, and last year alone practically two-thirds of all the undergraduates were in athletics working under the limited facilities that exist to-day.

The council takes over all of the work of the former Athletic Association and the Accessory Committee and much of the work of the Faculty Committee on Student Activities, and combines the work of these three committees under one central committee. While the council as organized

makes no allowance for undergraduate representation, that is being provided in additional provisions being considered at the present time by the council. The method of representation and the responsibilities of the undergraduates will be announced later.

K. O. Mason of the Faculty has been elected secretary of the council and Dr. Marvel will be treasurer of the department. All surplus funds will be turned over to the University investment committee to be held apart for the use of the Athletic Council, while the current funds will all be handled by Dr. Marvel.

The organization of the council is similar to that in existence in some of the mid-western universities.

## A New Idea In Alumni Affairs

**E**IGHTY college and university alumni associations of America have co-operated to establish intercollegiate alumni hotels in some forty outstanding centres of America. At these hotels will be found everything planned for the convenience and comfort of the college man. Here the alumnus of each of these colleges will find on file his own alumni magazine and a list of his own college alumni living in the immediate locality served by the hotel. He will find the alumni atmosphere carried throughout. This service will be unusually pleasing, and undoubtedly local alumni spirit will be greatly forwarded by this movement.

In California, where the plan has been in operation for three years, it has been found to be eminently successful. The intercollegiate alumni hotel idea came into being from a very definite need. The growth of travel by automobile combined with the gigantic growth in numbers of university and college men has brought to light the necessity for some place to which

the visiting alumnus may go when in a strange city to find the names and addresses of his fellow alumni living in the community. It was formerly the policy of the University of California Alumni Association, for instance, to have the president or secretary of the local alumni club keep on file these names and addresses. Often, however, when the list was most desired the local president or secretary could not be found, so by keeping an accurate list on file at a prominent hotel this list became available at all hours of the day and night, and consequently it has resulted that a new means has been found whereby alumni spirit can be engendered and encouraged in centres distant from the immediate influence of the University.

In no way does the establishment of an alumni hotel headquarters in the local centres interfere with the local university club. The university club is exclusive in its membership; the Intercollegiate Alumni Hotel is non-exclusive. It forms headquarters for the transient, the man who is



in and out of town, and for the man who is in town for only a few hours.

Full and complete data will be given concerning this nation-wide movement in a four-page announcement that will appear in each of the participating alumni magazines next month.

A list of Intercollegiate Alumni Hotels that have been designated follows. Many more are giving this matter earnest consideration. The full details will be given next month. Meanwhile, if they really want to make this new movement successful in their district alumni centres, all alumni in these local and distant centres who read this notice should purpose to unite with other alumni in the formation of a representative committee for their city. With the backing and prestige of local enterprise a new instrument for awakening alumni spirit will be found and will result in the forwarding of a finer, healthier, and a more abundant interest among college men.

Many eminent university leaders have followed the growth of the hotel headquarters movement in the Far West. President Ray Lyman Wilbur of Stanford University says: "We have found by experience that by having an outstanding hotel in a local community act as a depository for names and addresses of local alumni and as general headquarters for our association activities, the morale of our alumni association has been greatly strengthened." Again Robert G. Sproul, Vice President in charge of Public Relations at the University of California, speaks for his University as follows: "Our alumni association in California has grown from four thousand to about fifteen thousand members in three years. We feel that the address lists of local alumni maintained at local hotel centres have aided much in strengthening acquaintance and forwarding a high type of university spirit among our alumni." And as for

the hotels, Halsey E. Manwaring, manager of the famous Palace Hotel at San Francisco, says: "For three years we have acted as local headquarters for University of California and Stanford University Alumni Associations. From our experience we believe that a nation-wide establishment of Intercollegiate Alumni Hotels will prove an excellent move and one in which the hotel industry may well be proud of playing a part."

For over a year a large committee representing eighty college and university alumni associations has been working to make this national movement possible. On this committee are the following: Marion E. Graves of Smith College; E. N. Sullivan of Pennsylvania State College; W. R. Okeson of Lehigh University; E. F. Hodgins of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology; R. W. Sailor of Cornell University; J. O. Baxendale of the University of Vermont; Levering Tyson of Columbia University; Robert Sibley of the University of California; J. L. Morrill of Ohio State University; W. B. Shaw of the University of Michigan; Daniel L. Grant of the University of North Carolina; R. W. Harwood of Harvard University; John D. McKee of Wooster College; Helen F. McMillon of Wellesley College, and Paul G. Tomlinson of Princeton University. The American continent has been travelled back and forth by its representatives many times in order to have coordinated action in the establishment of intercollegiate alumni headquarters. Practically every prominent centre of America has been visited by one or more of these representatives.

Here now is established a nation-wide service available to the alumni of these eighty universities and colleges and others that may join them. It now awaits only the full and complete coordinated effort of the local alumni to make this service one of the finest and most helpful instruments

for good in the upbuilding and maintenance of alumni interest in local and distant centres of America.

These hotels have already been designated:

Roosevelt, New York city; University Centre\*, New York city; Waldorf Astoria, New York city; Copley Plaza, Boston; University Centre\*, Boston; Blackstone, Chicago; University Centre\*, Chicago; Windermere, Chicago; Benjamin Franklin, Philadelphia; Hollenden, Cleveland; Willard, Washington; Radisson, Minneapolis; Los Angeles Biltmore, Los Angeles; Palace, San Francisco; Olympic, Seattle; Deshler, Columbus; Seneca, Roch-

ester; Claremont, Berkeley; Onondaga, Syracuse; Sinton, Cincinnati; Wolverine, Detroit; Multnomah, Portland, Ore.; Sacramento, Sacramento; Californian, Fresno; Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebr.; Poinsett, Greenville, S. C.; Oakland, Oakland, Calif.; Lycoming, Williamsport, Pa.; Mount Royal, Montreal; King Edward, Toronto; Coronado, St. Louis; Bethlehem, Bethlehem, Pa.; Urbana-Lincoln, Urbana-Champaign, Ill.; Saint Paul, St. Paul; Savannah, Savannah, Ga.; Schenley, Pittsburgh.

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\*To be built in 1926-27.

## Brown and Mt. Hermon

*By Jeremiah Holmes '02*

WHEN nearly a thousand enthusiastic alumni of Mt. Hermon School assembled not long ago for the school's forty-fifth anniversary and heard that the Dwight L. Moody Living Endowment—namely themselves and other “Loyal Sons of Hermon”—had gone over the top with \$30,000 paid in during the year, they decided to pay a tribute to the man who has been mainly responsible for the remarkable growth of this Endowment and the development of the Mt. Hermon Alumni Association into one of the best in the school and college world.

This man is no less than our own Lorimer Drury of the class of 1902; and he and his family now ride about in a fine Dodge sedan, the gift of his appreciative fellow alumni. It should be added that Drury is the son of the Rev. Lucian Drury of the class of 1866.

When Drury came to Brown with Henry Natsch Furnald, Morris Alling and the writer in 1898, Mt. Hermon School was little known, and its Alumni Association was small and struggling. Now the

school stands as one of the strong preparatory schools in the country, with an alumni body of the same order. Drury and his classmates began boosting the



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L. L. Drury 1902 and the new motor car given him by Mt. Hermon alumni.

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Alumni Association while they were at Brown. Drury became secretary—the position he still holds—and the writer was president for several years.

Under this leadership the constitution was changed so that all former students, as

well as the graduates, could become members. The Living Endowment was also started, together with other basic factors making for a strong, unified alumni body. Drury, who went back to Mt. Hermon to teach and in a few years to take charge of the history department, gave an increasing part of his time to the Alumni Association until to-day it absorbs him almost completely.

He and his staff keep track of about 12,000 members, publish the Alumni Quarterly, get in the \$30,000 yearly income from about two thousand men who

capitalize at 5 per cent. some \$600,000 of living endowment, supervise the activities of 45 class organizations, of about 25 city clubs and college clubs, arrange eight class reunions a year and a general school anniversary every five years, and do other odd jobs. Drury is rounding out nearly 25 years at it, and the writer is confident that the Brown Alumni Monthly, speaking for Brown men, will add its congratulation on work well done—work that is a credit not only to Mt. Hermon but also to Drury's college Alma Mater.

## Sock and Buskin Plans

*By E. T. Throop, Jr.*

**S**OCK AND BUSKIN formally closed its 1925-26 season with a banquet at Brennan's Campus Shoppe and a theatre party on the evening of the 28th of May. Preceding the banquet, the society held its annual meeting, at which officers were elected and the programme announced for the coming season.

The society selected as officers for 1926-27: Jeremy F. Bagster-Collins, President; Franklin D. Elmer, Vice President; Frank K. Singiser, Secretary; L. O. Wolcott, Senior member of the Executive Board; L. E. Chase, Junior member. In view of invaluable service, the following re-appointments were made: Professor Ben W. Brown, Producing Director; Professor Kenneth O. Mason, Faculty Advisor; Rufus C. Fuller, Jr., Alumni Advisor; Ellis S. Potter, Business Manager, and Donald E. Pratt, Stage Manager. Further appointments made at this time are as follows: Hamlin H. Hodges and Robert J. Andrews, Assistant Business Managers; Samuel H. Levy and Enos T. Throop, Jr., Assistant Publicity Managers.

J. F. Bagster-Collins, newly elected President of Sock and Buskin, well merits this office, for in the three years he has

been at Brown he has contributed much to the society's productions, in which he has taken many major parts. He was awarded his Sock and Buskin key during the middle of last season. Ellis S. Potter, re-appointed Business Manager, was awarded the Sock and Buskin key at the meeting last May in recognition of commendable ability in managing the finances of the organization last season.

Sock and Buskin activities for 1926-27 will commence with a members' night performance on October 8th, at which time Eugene O'Neill's "Hairy Ape" will be performed, or else two shorter plays, "The Flattering Word," by George Kelley and "Night" by James Oppenheim. The major fall production, to be announced at a later date, will be given on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th of December. The annual Christmas party will be held on members' night, December 17th. During February Professor Thomas Crosby, Jr., Honorary President of Sock and Buskin, will render readings of three plays to be selected in the future. The spring performance of the society will be George Bernard Shaw's "Caesar and Cleopatra," to be produced during the month of March.



## Brown Football In New Hands

UNDER the inspiring leadership of Head Coach D. O. McLaughry, the Brown University football squad, numbering a few less than 40 men, has been rigorously practising at Quonset Point, near Providence. The squad started work on September 7, the day after Labor Day, and was put at once to the study of fundamentals. Although practice was secret from the first, it is known that the physical exertions required of the aspirants for a place on the team exceeded in strenuousness anything demanded of a Brown squad in many years. Coach McLaughry believes in hard work and plenty of it.

The emphasis laid on laborious practice has been accompanied by an equal emphasis on discipline. There is no question of who is master in this fall's campaign. His name is McLaughry, but at the same time he has a winsome way with him which ought to go far in developing a winning way on the part of the team.

This survey of the preliminary training is being written on September 17, too early a date for definite prophecy. The first game is still eight days away and the squad is having its first real scrimmage of the season to-day. Quonset will be left behind at the end of the week, and Andrews Field, beginning on Monday, September 20, will be the scene of active preparation for the initial contest with Rhode Island State College at Brown Field.

As in previous years, the principal lack lies plainly in an inadequate force of reserve players. It is evident that Coach McLaughry's first eleven will be much better than any second eleven that can be mustered. What this means is that there will always be the danger in our big games, as in years gone by, that after Brown has held the enemy to a close score or retained the lead in the first part of the contest, the other side will put in fresh players of a calibre superior to anything we can offer

from our reserve lists. It is obvious that in the near future this serious problem should be attacked with new vigor by those in charge of our football destinies.

In spite of the hard work required of the squad by McLaughry, he has succeeded in obtaining a fine spirit of loyalty from the men, which we sincerely hope will continue through the season. He has been ably assisted by his staff of coaches, including ex-Captain "Ed" McMillan of Princeton, the All-American Tiger centre of last season; "Spike" Staff of Brown, "Bill" Ormsby, also of Brown, and Professor Snell of the Brown faculty, who will take over the scouting work performed so well in past years by "Reggie" Brown, originally of Harvard and now associated with "Ed" Robinson, ex-Brown coach, at Boston University. McLaughry has also had the assistance at Quonset of two of his recent players at Amherst, who have graciously imparted to the Brown squad to the best of their very considerable ability the McLaughry system as exemplified at our sister college in Massachusetts. In the name of all loyal Brown men, we thank them.

Following is the University football schedule for the season of 1926:

Sept. 25, R. I. State College, Providence.  
Oct. 2, Colby, Providence.  
Oct. 9, Lehigh, Providence.  
Oct. 16, Bates, Providence.  
Oct. 23, Yale, New Haven.  
Oct. 30, Dartmouth, Hanover.  
Nov. 6, Norwich, Providence.  
Nov. 13, Harvard, Cambridge.  
Nov. 20, New Hampshire State, Providence.  
Nov. 25, Colgate, Providence.

The Freshman football schedule is as follows:

Oct. 9, Dean Academy, Franklin.  
Oct. 16, Worcester Academy, Worcester.  
Oct. 23, Massee School, Providence.

Oct. 29, Dartmouth Freshmen, Hanover.  
Nov. 6, Holy Cross Freshmen, Providence.

Nov. 12, Harvard Seconds, Cambridge.

Nov. 19, Roxbury School, Providence.

Last year Brown's scores against the teams she will meet this year were as follows: Brown vs. Rhode Island State 33-0. Colby 33-0. Bates 48-0. Yale 7-20. Dartmouth 0-14. Harvard 0-3. New Hampshire 38-14. Colgate 14-14.

### THE LEADING CANDIDATES

*By Louis B. Palmer '28*

With the ends of the line ably taken care of by Captain Hal Broda '27 and Thurston Towle '28, and the tackle positions capably filled by Orland Smith '27 and Paul Hodge '28, all veterans from last year, the chief problem facing the coaches is that of strengthening the centre of the line. The loss of Hal and Dan Morey is keenly felt, as they were counted upon as regular guard and tackle respectively, leaving Provonchee '27 as the only candidate for guard with any experience. "Bud" has weight, but he is inclined to be a trifle slow, and as McLaughry wants speed it is not at all unlikely that there will be two new men playing the guard positions. McLaughry has been trying Hodge at tackle on the defense and Provonchee at his old post at guard, with Hodge taking the guard position on the offense and Provonchee the tackle; but it is impossible to tell whether McLaughry will deem this arrangement satisfactory. If Johnny Getz '28 can keep his knee in place he should be able to be the regular centre, although he is being pressed by Haines '28 and Holden '27, both members of last year's aggregation.

When Jack Keefer and Charlie Dixon graduated last year every one thought that Brown would be without a good backfield this fall, but from all indications this year's quartet will be fully as good as its predecessor,

although perhaps there will be less spectacular broken-field running. McLaughry has been using Curly Edes '28 at quarter, at Quonset, and it is very probable that the opening game will find him there, as Dave Mishel '27, regular quarterback last year, has been shifted to halfback, where he is paired off with Red Randall '28, former Andover star, and substitute quarter last year. Red got off to a poor start last year, but came along finely at the end of the season, and this year should prove a spectacular performer. Although Eddie Lawrence '28 will in all probability start the games as fullback, he will be relieved eventually by Walter Trefethen, 195-pound fullback, and star of the 1929 team last fall.

We have mentioned only the most prominent candidates, but there are several substitutes and members of last year's Freshman team who are bound to make the veterans step to hold their positions. Among the more promising of these are "Dolly" Searle '29, Steve Crilly '29 and Sam Larkin '29, halfbacks; Ned Kevorkian '29, 205-pound guard, and the only man on the '29 team not to be injured during the entire season; Bill Considine '28, guard; Dick Gurney '28, tackle; Louis Farber, tackle and captain of the '29 team, and Howard Husker '27, centre.

### *The Squad on Sept. 22*

On Sept. 20 the squad began practice at Andrews Field. By Sept. 22, the opening day at the University, its members had been swollen to over 50. The principal aspirants for positions on the team were, at that date, as follows:

Ends—Broda, Towle, Searle, Heller, Crull, Stewart, Hall.

Tackles—Smith, Hodge, Provonchee, Miller, Getz.

Guards—Kevorkian, Farber, Harry Cornsweet, Dodge, Gurney, Romer.

Centres—Considine, Haines, Holden, Husker.

Quarterbacks—Edes, Mishel, Eisenberg, Larkin.

Halfbacks—Mishel, Randall, Lawrence, Crilly.

Fullbacks—Trefethen, Al Cornsweet, Jones.

### *Freshman Aspirants*

Coach Staff took charge on Sept. 20 of a squad of 28 Freshmen. Among them were C. T. (Reb) Russell, all scholastic quarterback from Lynn Classical for two years. Russell is a baseball and track star as well, and made a great impression at the Brown meet last Memorial Day. Several of the Freshmen appear first class 'Varsity material. Another of the candidates is W. H. McCabe, whose work at tackle at Moses Brown marked him as a football player with possibilities, while one four letter man put in an appearance in George L. Burdick from Pawling School.

The men reporting were H. P. Taylor from Hope, end; Don O. Merrill of Mercersburg, centre, 159 pounds; L. Heuser, Montclair Academy, fullback, 167 pounds; E. B. Sisley, Montclair Academy, tackle, 164 pounds; W. H. McCabe, Moses Brown, tackle, 194 pounds; D. Polsky, guard, 176 pounds; K. F. Dietz, Peddie, end, 175 pounds; George L. Burdick, Pawling; T. B. Wallace, S. H. Van Sant, Peddie, halfback, 148 pounds; B. T. Mesere, Woonsocket, quarterback, 135 pounds; C. T. Russell, H. C. Friedman, Cambridge Latin, centre, 152 pounds; Gordon Allen, Le Roy high school, Pa., tackle, 186 pounds; J. H. Channing, Princeton Prep, guard, 194 pounds; M. G. Lunstedt, Lynn Classical, end, 145 pounds; W. W. Findley, quarterback, Blair Academy, 177 pounds; M. A. Gavitt, Bulkeley School, tackle, 177 pounds; A. B. Fowler, V. B. Bearce, Foxboro high, end, 159 pounds; J. R. Jelleme, Peddie, fullback, 176 pounds; H. I. Smith, Blair, end, 155 pounds; N. H. Munson, Maine Central high, tackle or halfback, 180 pounds; G.

O. Kruse, White Plains, N. Y., end, 136 pounds; H. B. Riepe, Boys' Latin of Baltimore, halfback and end, 155 pounds; N. Goldstein and R. H. Clark of Providence Classical, quarter, 159 pounds.

### *Football Tickets*

The Harvard and Colgate football games with Brown are the only contests that will be handled by the application ticket system this year, while the Colgate game is the only home game where reserved seats will be in order, the Brown Athletic Council announces. Season tickets have been issued similar to those in use last year, admitting to all home games and to the Freshman contests to be played in Providence. These tickets admit the holder to the same seat for each game. Tickets for the Dartmouth game, which is to be played in Hanover, will be sold in Providence by the Athletic Office and Wright and Ditson. All seats are reserved at the Dartmouth, Harvard and Colgate games. Following the custom of the past several years, applicants will be limited to six tickets, including season and blanket taxes, and those desiring one or two tickets will be accommodated ahead of those desiring three or four or five or six.

The Dartmouth game will be \$3.00 for each seat; Harvard, Colgate and Yale, \$2.00 each; Lehigh, \$1.50; and New Hampshire, Bates, Colby and Rhode Island State will be \$1.00 each. The closing dates for the filling of applications will be: Harvard, November 1 at 5 P. M., and Colgate, November 11 at 5 P. M.

### *Huddle System Adopted*

Only one eleven in all the history of football in the Eastern zone has ever been able to use the huddle system and survive the storm of adverse criticism, says the Providence Journal sports editor under date of Sept. 10. Coach Roper of Princeton, one of the greatest in the profession,



has put over the huddle and has converted followers of the Tigers to this method of reeling off plays. The Jungleers wheeled into the circle, snapped out into positions and in a trice were on their way in the campaign last season. Other teams have tried to function with the system and have been forced to abandon it.

Princeton has perfected the use of the huddle play to the point where the team can run off more plays each quarter than by the use of regular formations with the quarterback barking signals.

In 1923 Brown introduced Andrews Field crowds to the system, and ran into a flood of criticism in some quarters. With the opening of the 1924 season Coach Robinson abandoned the use of the huddle and most of the game's patrons applauded the action.

Viewed from the standpoint of the spectator, the huddle is not popular. In spite of the fact that plays can be run off faster when the system is working properly, the fans cannot get rid of the impression that a lot of valuable time is being wasted. The reaction is therefore unfavorable.

Now comes the announcement that Coach McLaughry will use the system at Brown this season. Perhaps the new mentor will be able to put it across with the same success that has attended the efforts of Roper. The advantages that come with the huddle are elimination of any possible chance that the signals will be caught by the opposing team and also the jump which the eleven gets by fast shifts before the defence can move men to meet the new alignment.

Brown men and all supporters of the team will welcome anything that Coach McLaughry and his able corps attempt. If he believes in the huddle let's have another fling at it. When all is said and done there is no football man, active or inactive, this side of the Mississippi keener to send the Bruins over the top than this same McLaughry.

### *Brown 14, R. I. State 0*

With the thermometer at Brown Field on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 25, close to 90 degrees in the shade, effective work by the heavy Brown line was difficult, while the lighter Kingstonians showed up unusually well. One Brown player lost eleven pounds during the game. One of the stars of the home team was Captain Paul Edes of the baseball team, who showed up well at quarterback. Farber, Trefethen, the two Cornsweets and Crilly of last year's Freshman team gave a promising exhibition, and Red Randall was much in evidence. The Brown lineup consisted of Broda l e, Provonchee l t, Smith l g, Getz c, Farber r g, Hodge r t, Towle r e, Mishel qb, Randall l hb, Eisenberg r hb, A. Cornsweet fb. Substitutions: Searle for Broda, Edes for Mishel, Miller for Provonchee, Crilly for Randall, Jones for Eisenberg, Trefethen for A. Cornsweet, Heller for Towle, Gurney for Hodge, Kevorkian for Farber, Holden for Getz, H. Cornsweet for Smith, Haines for Getz, Crull for Broda. Touchdowns: A. Cornsweet, Jones. Points after touchdowns: Randall, Eisenberg. Time, four 11-minute periods.

### *Brown 35, Colby 0*

Brown put a good deal of ginger into her game against Colby on Oct. 2 at Brown Field, running up 21 points in the first quarter, 7 in the second and 7 in the fourth. The total score of 35 points was two more than the figures run up by Brown against Colby a year ago.

### A REDUCED REGISTRATION

As we go to press the total number of undergraduate men at Brown is 1237, divided as follows: Seniors, 263; Juniors, 310; Sophomores, 317; Freshmen, 347. Last year there were 388 Freshmen. The total registration at the Women's College is about 500. When the grand total for

the University is figured (including graduate students), it should exceed 1900.

### THE BROWN JUG

The Brown Jug is launching upon its seventh season this fall. Emerging from the wreckage of the Brunonian, which disappeared from the campus in 1919, the Jug has grown steadily for the past six years, until now it occupies a predominant position among the college comic publications of the country.

When Harry Samson '21 and his 16 Jugglers uncorked the Brown Jug upon an unsuspecting campus, they started a venture that within a space of three years has come to be ranked with the leading humorous magazines of the American colleges.

Last year the Brown Jug boasted of second position among the collegiate comics on the basis of representation in College Humor. The circulation of the publication has been increased to 3500 copies an issue. The size of the magazine

has grown from 26 pages to 50 and 60 pages in the past six years.

This year the Jugglers are planning a campaign that will keep Brown's comic publication up to its former standard. Guiding the destiny of the Jug for 1926-27 are William Gunn '27, Editor, and Edward Goldberger '27, Business Manager. Robert Trowbridge '27 heads the Art Staff, while Wentworth Mann '27 is the Literary Editor. Harold Johnson '28 has been chosen Advertising Manager and Henry Otte, Jr., '28, Circulation Manager.

The first issue of the Jug, the "Big Game Number," is to make its appearance on the Brown campus on October 22nd, the day preceding the Yale game. Several novel features are being planned for the opening number, with the Freshmen and football the main targets and topics of the Jugglers.

The Jug is making a special appeal to the alumni this year, and hopes to increase the number of its friends among Brown men who knew only of the Brunonian.

## Brunonians Far and Near

### Alumni

1862

With the passing of Darius Lee Goff, who died in Pawtucket, R. I., on July 22, 1926, another name on the roll of New England's roll of distinguished industrial pioneers is starred. For nearly half a century Mr. Goff was a leading figure in industry and finance, a vigorous and successful son of a vigorous and active father. He was born in Rehoboth, Mass., March 20, 1840, the son of Darius and Harriet Lee Goff. He came to college from the Pawtucket High School and though he did not take his degree with his class he received his A. M. by special vote in 1890. At 23 he became a partner in the American Worsted Co. with his father and with W. F. and F. C. Sayles. Two years later,

when the Sayles interests separated, the Goffs established the firm of D. Goff & Sons, began the manufacture of braids; and from then until a few years ago the name and the product were familiar throughout the country and in many parts of the world. Mr. Goff found time in his young days to agitate electric lighting for Pawtucket, and was largely responsible for the formation of the Pawtucket Electric Co., of which he was president for many years. He was likewise head of D. Goff & Sons until he resigned in 1921, president of the Bridge Mill Power Co., Royal Weaving Co., of the Intercolonial Copper Co., and of the Puritan Life Insurance Co., and a director of numerous textile companies and of the Pawtucket branch of the Industrial Trust Co. Any worthy public enterprise had his support, moral and financial, and the city of Paw-

tucket owed much to his spirit and aid. He was twice married. His first wife, who was Miss Annie E. Pitcher, died in 1869. His second marriage took place Nov. 20, 1883, his bride being Miss Annie Luther, who died Feb. 3, 1890. Two children by this marriage, Darius Goff '11 and Mrs. Harriet L. Goff Jackson survive him, as well as his brother, Lyman B. Goff '62.

1881

Former Secretary of State Charles E. Hughes and Mrs. Hughes returned to New York last month after spending the summer in France, Switzerland and Italy.

1885

Dr. Frank L. Day died at his home in Providence on September 21, aged 70 years. A full biography will appear in our November issue.

1890

Colonel George H. Webb died at his home after a long illness on September 21, aged 59 years. A complete account of his life will be printed next month.

1891

Frank E. Winsor, chief engineer of the Providence Water Supply Board and director of operations which has resulted in the completion of a \$20,000,000 water supply plant for Providence, was named last month as chief engineer of the Metropolitan Water Supply Commission (Massachusetts). He will take charge of a water project in the Bay State that will mean an outlay of some \$75,000,000 before it is finished.

"Mr. Winsor has labored among us for eleven years, quietly, efficiently, happily," said the Evening Bulletin of Providence in an editorial. "He came here with no small reputation as an engineer and a man. He leaves with that reputation further enhanced, as a result of his successful direction of the largest and most expensive single piece of engineering work ever undertaken in Rhode Island, a task that has been carried through with no hint of waste or breath of scandal. Providence will be sorry to see him go, but glad that his abilities have been so strikingly recognized in the neighboring State."

1892

Dr. H. G. Partridge was elected President of the Rhode Island Medical Society at the annual meeting held last June.

Arthur Buffum Brownell died in Portland, Me., on Aug. 22, 1926. He had been ill for the last five months. He was born in Providence, Sept. 16, 1868, the son of Dexter L. and Elizabeth (Carpenter) Brownell. He prepared for college at the University Grammar School and remained at Brown as a member of the class for three years. He was identified for a time with the Herreshoff Mfg. Co., Bristol, R. I., as a purchasing agent and later took up similar work for the E. T. Burrowes Co., Portland, Me. He was married in 1910 to Miss Helen King of Portland. Mrs. Brownell survives him, together with a son. Mr. Brownell also left a brother and a sister. He was a member of Beta Theta Pi.

1893

A. C. Matteson was elected vice president and chairman of the local council, Rhode Island branch of the American Bar Association at the annual convention of the Association held in Denver, Col., in July. Theodore Francis Green '87, James C. Collins '92 and George Hurley '07 were chosen as members of the council.

1894

Charles S. Aldrich has been re-elected president of the Rensselaer County (N. Y.) Bar Association.

Henry D. Sharpe is general chairman of the Community Fund campaign which will open in Providence this month. Mr. Sharpe was one of the original proponents of the Fund idea for financing the social agencies of Providence, and he has been working actively in favor of it for several years.

1895

The July number of Church Management had an article by the Rev. John F. Watts of the First Baptist Church, Lawrence, Kan., on "A Pastor's Duty to His Successor."

In the May issue of The Journal of Ed-



ucational Method there was a two-page description of an "Art and Agricultural Project" carried on in some of the elementary schools of Los Angeles under the direction of Herve W. Georgi, assistant supervisor of agriculture for the Los Angeles City School District. It was apropos of current discussion regarding the teaching of citizenship in the schools since the project eventuates in landscaping a real home place.

Dr. Herbert Howard Cushing, a former member of the class, died in Philadelphia on July 3, 1926, after an illness of five weeks. He was born in Toungoo, Burma, June 5, 1872, the son of Josiah Nelson and Ellen (Howard) Cushing, founders of Rangoon College. He came to the United States at the age of eight and prepared for college at Vermont Academy, Saxton's River, Vt. He was at Brown two years. He studied at University of Munich, where he received the degree of M. D., and at Jefferson Medical College, from which he received a similar degree. He taught for many years at Jefferson, at the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania and at Temple University Medical School. In 1915 he received a B. S. degree from University of Pennsylvania and at the same time became a member of the Penn faculty in the zoological department. He was married twice, but the Alumni Office has not yet been able to get definite information as to his survivors. Dr. Cushing was a member of the Academy of Natural Sciences, Philadelphia, and the translator of several books dealing with histology.

1896

Arthur Deerin Call received the honorary degree of LL. D. from Howard University last June. President Durkee, in conferring the degree, read this citation: "Advocate of peace in thought, word and deed; speaker, writer and traveller in behalf of the same; master and moulder of assemblies for world brotherhood, and personal exemplar of the principles taught; friend of God and friend of man, fearless, far-seeing, frank and always fair."

1897

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who passed away at his home in Brookline, Mass., on June 19, 1926, the class loses a loyal member and the University a devoted son. He had been ill four months when death came. He was born in Pawtucket, R. I., June 28, 1874, the son of John Albert and Emily E. (Foster) Arnold. He entered Brown from Pawtucket high school, where he made a fine record as a student. After graduation he went to Boston to join the staff of Estabrook & Co., investment securities. He remained with this firm until 1919, when he resigned to become a partner in the brokerage company of Wise, Hobbs & Arnold. He was married Nov. 11, 1903, to Miss Anna A. Lenz of Providence, who survives him, together with two children, John L. and Mary L. Arnold. A member of Theta Delta Chi in college, Fred Arnold continued active interest in the fraternity and at one time was an officer of its Grand Lodge. Robert S. Emerson and George L. Miner, secretaries, represented the class at the funeral.

The sudden death of Dr. George Thurston Spicer in Providence on July 26, 1926, was a genuine shock to his many friends and associates. He had been for some years a leading specialist in pediatrics and children's diseases and was well-known, not only in his profession but also in patriotic society circles in which he played a prominent part. Dr. Spicer, descendant of an old New England family, was born in Pawtuxet, R. I., July 28, 1874, the son of William Arnold and Anna E. (Carpenter) Spicer. He studied for college at Providence High School, classical department, and after graduating with his class took up special work for his A. M. degree, which he received in 1901. He was graduated from Harvard Medical School in 1903, taking his M. D., cum laude. He was assistant surgeon, Free Hospital for Women, Brookline, Mass., 1902-03, interne, Rhode Island Hospital, 1903-05, and house physician, Providence Lying-In Hospital, 1905. Then he commenced general practice, retaining his connection, however, with the department of children's diseases at the Rhode Island Hospital. He was also consulting pediatrician at the Providence City Hospital, physician, Prov-

idence Day Nursery Association, and at one time visiting physician, Providence Floating Hospital. He was president of the Rhode Island Society, Sons of the American Revolution, secretary, Rhode Island Historical Society, surgeon, Rhode Island Society, Mayflower Descendants, life member, New England Historic Genealogical Society, and a member of Medical Veterans, World War, Sulgrave Institution, Huguenot Society of America, American Association for the Advancement of Science, American Child Health Association and similar scientific and medical societies. In college he belonged to Delta Phi. Dr. Spicer was married Dec. 15, 1909, to Miss Harriet Hopkins Sessions, who survives him, together with two children, George T. Spicer, Jr., and Eleanor Spicer. He is survived also by two brothers, William A. Spicer '05, Edward S. Spicer '10, and four sisters.

1899

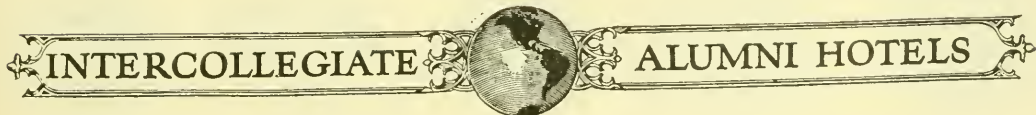
Judge C. C. Remington, the class secretary, has changed his residence from 102 Williams st. to 224 Medway st., Providence.

Frederick Howard Tillinghast died in Woodland, Calif., on July 15, 1926. He was born in Providence Sept. 19, 1877, the son of James E. and Maria Louisa (Kent) Tillinghast. He came to College Hill from the Providence High School and after leaving Brown went to Massachusetts Institute of Technology for a year to study sanitary engineering. He worked during the next two years for the Chicago Great Western Railroad. Government reclamation service had its appeal and after he took the civil service examination in 1903 he became identified with some of the big reclamation projects in the West. He was engineer in charge of construction of the Lahonta (Nevada) dam in 1913 and since that time had done other important work. At the time of his death he was an engineer in the employ of the Sutter Basin Co., Woodland. Mr. Tillinghast was married Oct. 20, 1900, to Miss Helene D. Bennett, who survives him, together with two children. He was a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers and of Zeta Psi.



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1900

Rev. J. Wallace Chesebro of Springfield, Mass., announced last month his independent candidacy for Congress on a prohibition ticket. His two rivals for the place are said to favor modification of the Volstead act, and Mr. Chesebro asserts that "his candidacy is based wholly on a desire to uphold the 18th amendment." His friends figure that if the contest becomes a wet and dry fight, the wets may split while the dries will remain intact, thus giving Mr. Chesebro his chance to win.

Rev. Harold M. Capron is now pastor of the First Congregational Church, Whitman, Mass., and his address is 643 Washington st., Whitman. In a letter to the Alumni Office to tell of his removal from Newport, R. I., he added: "I find to my surprise and pleasure that a classmate, 'Harry' Hall, also lives here."

Rev. Arthur O. Pritchard's present address is 221 West Grand View ave., Sierra Madre, Calif., where he was recently installed as pastor of the First Congregational Church.

1901

Professor Arthur I. Andrews is now a member of the department of history, University of Maryland, College Park, Md. Professor Andrews resigned in June from Tufts College, where he had been professor of history and public law since 1912.

Dr. Frederick G. Phillips, a former member of the class, died in Providence on July 25, 1926, following a short illness. He was born in Providence March 24, 1877, the son of Charles A. and Sarah (White) Phillips. He was prepared at Technical High School, and after a year on College Hill entered the College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, from which he was graduated in 1902. Following a year as an interne at the Rhode Island and Lying-In hospitals, he commenced the general practice of medicine in Providence. He gradually developed the surgical side of his work and at the time of his death was one of the best-known surgeons in Rhode Island. When the Halifax disaster occurred, Dr. Phillips was one of the first to volunteer to go to the stricken city. His exertions there told heavily on his vitality and he had not been in the best of health since his return from Nova Scotia.

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He was married four days before he died to Miss Elizabeth Louise Foster, who survives him, together with three brothers and three sisters. He was a member of the American Medical Association, Rhode Island Medical Society, Providence Medical Society, Practitioners' Club and Beta Theta Pi.

Philip DeWolf has changed his business address from Providence to New York, where he is now connected with the Joubert & Goslin Machine & Foundry Co., 32 Beaver st.

1902

Henry K. Metcalf, now one of the resident managers of the Boston office of the Maryland Casualty Co. of Baltimore, was the subject of a write-up in the June number of *The Budget*, the official publication of the company.

Erwin Henry Learned, former member of the class, died in Dorchester, Mass., on June 17, 1925, following a year's illness. He was born in Malone, N. Y., Sept. 19, 1879, the son of Harvey M. and Helen M. (Barsford) Learned. He prepared at Franklin Academy, Malone, and was at Brown for one year. After he left college he became a reporter on the staff of the *Boston Record and Advertiser*. Then he worked several years for Bell & Brown, manufacturers, of Boston, and in 1906 joined the organization of Paine, Webber & Co., investments. He remained with this firm until his death. He was married June 9, 1908, to Miss Edith Maude Davis, who survives him, together with a daughter, Miss Randalin Edith Learned. Mr. Learned was a member of the Masons, the Odd Fellows and the Knights of Pythias.

1903

Percy W. Gardner, President of the National Unitarian Laymen's League, was one of the principal speakers last summer at the Church School Institute conducted by the League for the training of the Sunday school teachers and superintendents at Star Island, off Portsmouth, N. H. Professor Philip H. Mitchell of the University faculty attended the institute as representative of the First Congregational Church, Providence.

E. W. Holmes wrote not long ago from Rochester, N. Y., where he spends considerable of his spare time as the alert secretary of the Brown Club of Rochester, that he expected to come to Providence this fall to see one of the football games. "I've missed the games for three years," he told us—which is long enough for any Brown man to stand, in our opinion.

1904

W. E. Cheever has joined the faculty of the University as assistant in civil engineering in place of the late Charles F. Chase '79n.

1905

Chalk up another convert to golf! A Brockton, Mass., newspaper said not long ago: "Golf grips the bookish and professional man as strongly as it does the man of business. Attorney William C. Drohan realizes it. He has dallied with the white pill only a year or so. Previously he had turned to books for leisurely recreation, his taste running to substantial literature. Only during the football season did he crave sport, and then simply as a spectator.

. . . At Sagamore recently, amid fog, drizzle, wet grass, he played a full nine holes though wet to the skin, and enjoyed it. Before being bitten by the golf bug he would have considered such a performance absurd."

1907

Dr. Ernest S. Reynolds, professor of botany at North Dakota Agricultural College, is on leave of absence this year and is doing special research at the Boyce Thompson Institute for Plant Research at Yonkers, N. Y.

Plans for the Twentieth reunion of the Class next June are in process of formation. President Hurley has sent out his first letter to members, urging them to begin thinking now of the get-together next Commencement. He has also appointed the Reunion Committee, which includes Branch, chairman; Affleck, Bright, W. P. Burnham, Briggs, H. G. Clark, Curtis, Cummings, Gurney, Jones, McEvoy, McPhee, Moulton, McCann, Payne, Pearsall, Schwartz, Snow, Sweet and the President, ex-officio.

Dr. Joseph Grover and Mrs. Grover made a tour of Italy, France, Switzerland and Holland during the summer. Joe and Al Gurney had a reunion on a street in Interlaken, Switzerland, one day in August, after having missed each other in Paris.

1908

Alfred J. Olsen, Jr., reports that his correct home address is 215 South LeDoux rd., Beverly Hills, Calif., and that his business hours are spent at 914 Merchants National Bank Bldg., Los Angeles.

Ely Palmer, Consul General of the United States in Roumania, spent July and August in this country, having returned on Government business. This was his first trip home since August, 1924.

C. C. Hubbard, last year a member of the University faculty and a recipient of the Ph. D. degree at Commencement in June, is now hard at work as professor of history and government and head of the department at Wheaton College, Norton, Mass.

1909

It is Professor Donald L. Stone now, Don having been promoted to the rank of assistant professor at Dartmouth, where he is in the department of political science.

1910

\* Frederic L. Trover has sent us his new card which gives the information that Fred is director of apprentices, Cleveland Building Trades Apprentice Schools, and that his headquarters are in the Rose Bldg., Cleveland.

1911

Jim O'Neil has deserted the more or less Sunny South for New England, having recently changed his headquarters from Ashland, Ky., to 45 James st., Malden, Mass.

Dr. Harmon P. B. Jordan, for the last 14 years assistant superintendent of the City Hospital, Providence, has become superintendent of the new Lying-In Hospital, Providence, which will open the first of next year.

Harold L. Kohler tells us that he is now connected with Jesse T. Meeker, real estate and insurance, 19 West 44th st., New York.

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home, is 6107 Kimbark ave., Chicago, Ill. Muir is a sprinkler engineer with the Western Factory Insurance Association.

1912

"Building Sermons with Symphonic Themes" is the latest book from the pen of Rev. Dr. William L. Stidger. It is published by Doran. "This volume shows an eminently popular preacher at his very best," said a review that we read of the book. "It shows the popular methods which he has adopted and the method by which he builds his sermons. . . The book ought to be read by every preacher whether he believes in Dr. Stidger's method of sermonizing or not, for no man can afford to despise a man who gets the ear of this generation."

1913

Herbert M. Ross began last month his new duties as chairman of the department of physical training, Seward Park High School. His home address is 6181 Delafield ave., New York.

Leon C. High has become principal of the Hazleton Senior High School, Hazleton, Pa. Leon taught in Ironwood, Mich., several years before returning East.

William E. Bailey has joined the Hartford, Conn., colony of Brunonians, he writes, his office address being 57 Prospect st., where he is assistant manager, casualty lines, of the Travelers Insurance Co.

Leonard W. Smith has joined the accounting staff of the Singer Mfg. Co., at the plant of the company in Bridgeport, Conn., and is living at 150 Washington Terrace, Bridgeport. In passing we thank Smith for the kind words he wrote us when he told of his change in jobs.

John Casey's fight to regain his health ended on Aug. 2, 1926, when he died at St. Joseph's Hospital, Providence. He had been ill for months, but his courage never failed him. He was born in Providence, Sept. 12, 1891, the son of John and Katherine (Dyer) Casey. He entered college from Classical High School, and was a quiet, popular classmate during his four years on the Hill. When the World War began he left his work and enlisted in the United States Navy, aviation branch. He

served as an aviator until the end of the war, being honorably discharged with the rank of Lieutenant, junior grade. On his return to Providence he was associated with his brother, Charles D. Casey, in the grocery business. He was married in May, 1921, to Miss Corinne Walsh, who survives him, together with one son. John was a member of Phi Kappa, and his fraternity brothers as well as the rest of his classmates mourn his passing.

1915

Clarence T. Hamill's new address, he reports, is Sherman road, Greenwood, Mass.

1916

Tom Robinson is back in Providence once more, this time as professor of English at the Rhode Island College of Education.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick L. Ferris are now living at 18 Laclede ave., Trenton, N. J. Fred is a member of the editorial staff of the Trenton Times, having given up teaching at Peddie School to try his hand at newspaper work.

1917

The Morning Sentinel of Waterville, Me., recently gave an illuminating writeup of the work of Lorimer H. Dixon, the city auditor. Dixon has been working as auditor for the last year and a half and also serving as clerk to the finance committee of the city council. In addition, he is teller of the Ticonic National Bank, vice president of the Lions, active in the Chamber of Commerce and the American Legion, and the father of two lively daughters, Coralie, five, and Jean, three.

1918

Dr. Roy W. Benton is the new assistant superintendent of the City Hospital, Providence, having been named to succeed Dr. Harmon P. B. Jordan '11n. Roy has been at the City Hospital for the last two years.

After teaching English in the Haverhill, Mass., high school for five years, Chester Downing resigned last June to accept a position as instructor in English in the Brookline, Mass., high school.

H. F. C. Wilcox has returned to his old haunts after a brief sojourn in New York. Which is to say that he is at present re-

ceiving his mail at 364 Lloyd ave., Providence.

1919

Don Millar has been named secretary of the American International Corporation of New York. Don has been serving as assistant secretary to M. C. Brush, President of the corporation.

Lieut. A. W. Johnson's latest address, he postcards, is Second Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kan.

R. E. Dexter was a visitor at the Alumni Office last month, on his way back to New Haven, where he is instructor of English in the New Haven high school. He spent the summer down on Cape Cod and certainly he looked as if he had enjoyed his vacation.

Rev. Herman L. Noyes, a former member of the class, returned to Rhode Island last month as pastor of the Greenville Free Baptist Church. Noyes expects to take

several courses on the Hill this academic year.

1920

Don Hylan, now living at 241 College st., Springfield, Mass., where he is in insurance work, has written of the death of Samuel J. Mann, of which we are extremely sorry to hear. Don added in his letter that Mary Louise Hylan, who arrived Feb. 2, 1926, is doing well, thank you.

1921

C. V. Anderson is sales correspondent for the J. L. Mott Iron Works, New York, and his home address is 145 West 75th st., the same city.

Ralph Standish has written us from Calcutta, where he is with the International Banking Corporation, that he expects to be home by Christmas.

1922

Tom Corcoran, after working all sum-

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"My Providence address is 327 Washington st., and my business address 17 Locust ave., Port Washington, L. I." Ray Studley wrote the Alumni Office not long ago. "I have been somewhat uprooted these last few years, due to a long and serious illness; however, I will try to keep you better informed hereafter of my address."

Joe Scharf, junior partner with Scharf Brothers Co., importers, asks us please to note that his new business address is 93 Water st., New York.

Ralph Brown was an Alumni Office visitor last month. Ralph is in the business of growing apples on his farm in North Scituate, Mass., and his invitation to stop at the farm some day and find out how good his apples are didn't have to be repeated.

#### 1923

Lester K. Kriebel, who is still teaching at the Perkiomen School, Pennsburg, Pa., was ordained to the ministry of the Christian Church on July 4, 1926.

Bill Gonzalez, having finished his course at Harvard Law School, has returned to Porto Rico and is now in the office of J. Henri Brown, Bank of Nova Scotia Bldg., San Juan. "I am back in my home town this time for good," he wrote the Alumni Office last month. "Should you know of any Brown men who are coming this way ask them to be sure to look me up."

Artie Fox, head coach of baseball at Williams College for next season, is now at Williamstown to aid in developing the football eleven. He was laid up most of the summer by a leg broken during a baseball game.

Eddie Lincoln, having finished his course at Harvard Law School, is continuing his studies in the office of Hinckley, Allen, Tillinghast and Phillips, Providence. Ed-

die's golf game was high class all summer. He shot the lowest score for 18 holes at the Rhode Island State golf tournament, held at Agawam Hunt Club in July.

Bob Williams is covering the eastern part of Georgia as special agent of the Aetna Life Insurance Co. "Mrs. Williams and I are making our home at 402 Morningside Drive, Atlanta," he said in a letter recently received at the Alumni Office. "I haven't met a Brown man since I came South in May, and I am wondering if there are any here." He knows now that there are, as he got a list of them right away.

Jed Jones spent most of the summer seeing the sights in Norway, France and other sections of Europe in company with his father, J. D. E. Jones '93.

Johnny Wilson finished his studies at Oxford with flying colors, so the report is, and we suppose that he has returned to this country to take up the practice of law. No doubt we'll be hearing from him before the next issue of the Monthly.

#### 1924

Bob Bent is a sales engineer with the Griscom-Russell Co., with his business address at 285 Madison ave., New York.

Joe Nutter has resigned as assistant to Dr. Marvel at the University and director of athletic publicity to become a member of the sports staff of the Evening Bulletin, Providence. Joe did excellent work during his year on the Hill and we are sorry to lose him.

Harry Howard, returned from the wilds of Florida, is at present covering New England for Fitzpatrick Pictures, Inc., the music master series of motion pictures depicting lives of famous composers synchronized to their own music.

Eddie Place is once more attached to his first love, the Providence Journal, as a member of the city staff.

#### 1925

Maurice H. Beavers and Mrs. Beavers have changed their residence from 879 South 19th st., to 65 Cheslea ave., Newark, N. J.

Tom Taylor is again a familiar figure on the campus. Tom has taken Joe Nut-



ter's place as assistant to Dr. Marvel and will be right on the job at all of the games at Brown Field this fall.

Malcolm Graham is doing special work for the United Fruit Co. in Central America.

Curt Dalton has been promoted to the head of the cost department, Heywood-Wakefield Co., Wakefield, Mass. A little bird whispers that Curt will soon be setting up a household of his own with a Mrs. Dalton to keep it and him in order.

Arthur W. Packard, Rhodes scholar at Oxford, was the author of an article, "A Hermonite at Oxford," which appeared in the Mount Harmon Alumni Quarterly for June, 1926. The editor asked him two questions—"How are you living, and where?" and "What are you doing?" and Arthur answered them delightfully. We gleaned from the answers that he is at Merton College, Oxford, and that he is preparing to take degree examinations in the Honor School of English Language and

Literature. Arthur also confessed that "the vacations seem to come with surprising frequency, and the travel thereby offered gives pleasant diversion and instruction."

Adolph Eckstein and Jack Keefer are members of the Steam Roller professional football eleven, which opened the season in Providence last month. "Eck" was centre on the eleven last year, but this is Keefer's first try at the professional game. The Worcester, Mass., Post, commenting editorially on Keefer's decision to join the Steam Rollers, said: "Unless we are not greatly mistaken, 'Jack' Keefer's playing as a professional will be the same treat for lovers of football that it has been during his stay at Brown."

1926

Frank Andrews is a salesman with the Delco Light Co., with his headquarters at 37 Exchange Place, Providence.

Wes Wright is teaching English, mathematics and Latin at St. George's School, Newport, R. I.

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Bill Storms has entered the Harvard Medical School, and John Toohey is studying medicine at the Medical School, University of Vermont.

Elmer Smith is one of the new student teachers at Technical High School, Providence.

John Talbot is with the Boston office of the Equitable Life Assurance Society and at the same time is playing professional football as a member of the Providence Steam Roller squad.

George Paine spent most of the summer seeing Europe, with special reference to Paris, France. So did Horace Mazet and no doubt several other members of the class from whom returns are not yet at hand.

Howard Lewis is a member of the faculty of the Commercial high school, Providence. Howard simply couldn't stay away from the neighborhood of College Hill.

Preston MacDonald is with the New England Mutual Life Insurance Co., Boston. "Wish I were going to Quonset Labor Day," he wrote last month. "The training camp I'm in now doesn't guarantee three square meals a day."

Dick West is working for the American Smelting and Refining Co., and reports that he expects to be in the New York office until about Dec. 1.

Norman Howard and Wesley Thompson are with the Hercules Powder Co., Kenvil, N. J.

Warren Babcock is teaching in the Hackensack, N. J., high school, where he himself prepared for Brown.

Garry Byrnes and Gerald Higgins are members of the reportorial staff of the Providence Journal and Bulletin.

### ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick V. Waterman of East Providence have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Flora Waterman, to George C. Hull '18.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Lloyd of Providence have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marian Josephine Lloyd, to Charles G. Burgess '24.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Sheldon of Providence have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Myra Sheldon, to William G. Chace '26.

Mrs. Mary Harrison of Brooklyn, N. Y., has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Helen Harrison, to Russell McInnes '22.

Rev. and Mrs. Dorrance B. Lothrop of Auburn, R. I., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ruth A. Lothrop '23, Women's College, to Allen B. Thompson of Newton, Mass.

Dr. and Mrs. John J. Conway of Warren, R. I., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Hazel Conway, to Ernest F. Schmultz '24, former star and on the University football team.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Buckmaster of Tacoma, Wash., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Barbara E. Buckmaster, to Warren (Tony) Hull '27. Miss Buckmaster is a graduate of the New York Art School. Tony, son of W. H. Hull '01, is captain of the University swimming team. Not only his father, but his grandfather and two cousins have been Brown men.

### WEDDINGS

1887—John Henshaw and Clara Mackinney Ormsbee were married in Providence on Sept. 9, 1926. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Charles B. Mackinney '96n. Mr. and Mrs. Henshaw sailed on Sept. 10 for France and on their return will live at 79 Upton ave., Providence.

1915—The Alumni Office has received announcement of the marriage of R. E. Copeland '15 and Miss Lillian Estelle Graner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Graner, in New Haven, Conn., on Sept. 18, 1926.

1917n—Dr. Nelson B. Sackett, who entered with the class of 1917 and then transferred to Princeton, where he received his degree, and Miss Elizabeth Noble Gray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Gray of Detroit, Mich., were married in Harwichport, Mass., on July 6, 1926. A. Chester Snow '07 and Kenneth B. MacLeod '18n served as ushers at the wedding.

Dr. and Mrs. Sackett, after a trip to Brittany, are now at home in New York.

1921—Rev. Edwin Lewis Thornton and Miss Mildred Louise Arnold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar A. Arnold of Pawtucket, R. I., were married on June 19, 1926. They are at home at 31 Capitol Heights, Oyster Bay, N. Y., where Mr. Thornton is pastor of the First Baptist Church.

1921, Women's College—Miss Dorothy C. Baker was married to David Wright of Lonsdale, R. I., in Danielson, Conn., on March 27, 1926, according to announcement made during the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Wright are at home at 916 Hope st., Providence.

1921—Harold Stanton Smith and Miss Marjorie Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Brown of Lynn, Mass., were married at the Little Church Around the Corner in New York on Sept. 13, 1926. Mr. and Mrs. Smith, who, before her marriage was a member of the faculty at the Women's College, will soon be at home at 3196 Pawtucket ave., East Providence, R. I.

1922, Women's College—Miss Mildred Earle Mowry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mowry of Smithfield, R. I., was married in Smithfield on July 16, 1926, to Earle C. Fairbrother.

1923—Leonard P. Sayles and Miss Hazel May Wightman were married in Providence on Sept. 2, 1926. Clarence E. Bennett '23 was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Sayles are living in Northfield, Vt., where he is a member of the faculty of Norwich University.

1925—Jackson M. Keefer, all-American football player, and Miss Dorothy Mildred King, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James A. King of Woonsocket, R. I., were married in Webster, Mass., at the summer home of the bride's parents, on Aug. 7, 1926. Mrs. Keefer is a graduate of Abbott Academy, Andover, Mass.

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1917—To Mr. and Mrs. A. Lincoln Abel of Providence, a son, Robert Berger, on July 21, 1926.

1917n—To Mr. and Mrs. Stephen A. Greene of Edgewood, R. I., a son, Stephen Albert Greene, Jr., on Aug. 3, 1926.

1918—To Mr. and Mrs. Emery M. Foster of Washington, D. C., a daughter, Edith, on Aug. 1, 1926.

1919—To Mr. and Mrs. Alton C. Chick of Providence, a second son, Bruce Bragdon, on April 17, 1926.

1919—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Ryon of Stonington, Conn., a son, Charles Gordon, on Sept. 17, 1926.

1920—To Mr. and Mrs. Willis C. Horan of Los Angeles, Calif., a daughter, Letha Dolores, on Aug. 2, 1926.

1920—To Mr. and Mrs. Roland D. Beck of Glen Ridge, N. J., a daughter, Peggy Louise, on May 6, 1926.

1920n—To Mr. and Mrs. Donald C. Bowersock of Riverside, R. I., a son, Donald Curtis Bowersock, Jr., on July 31, 1926.

1922—To Mr. and Mrs. W. Clark Forstall of Amsterdam, N. Y., a daughter, Alice, on Aug. 6, 1926.

1922—To Mr. and Mrs. William E. Ryon of New Cumberland, Pa., a son, Alden Billings, on Sept. 13, 1926.

1922—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Alden Chesebro of Providence, a daughter, Ann Fowler, on Aug. 5, 1926.

1922—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert B. Jeffers of Providence, a daughter, Barbara Ruth, on Aug. 9, 1926.

1922—To Mr. and Mrs. Norman E. MacKay of Miami, Fla., a son, Daniel Seabury, on Aug. 8, 1926.

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